

Claim 14, line 2, delete "claims 9-13" and insert therefor --claim 9--.

Claim 27, line 2, delete "claims 1 to 8" and insert therefor --claim 1--.

Claim 29, line 3, delete "claims 1 to 25" and insert therefor --claim 1--.

IN THE ABSTRACT:

After the claims, please insert a page containing the Abstract Of The Disclosure, which is attached hereto as a separately typed page.

REMARKS

Original claims 1-27 have been canceled by this Preliminary Amendment. Amended claims 6, 14, 27 and 29 have been further amended to remove the multiple dependencies for filing purposes. The Examiner and the Application Branch are respectfully requested not to enter the original claims 1-27.

A further Preliminary Amendment will be submitted in due course to address the amino acid sequence listings.

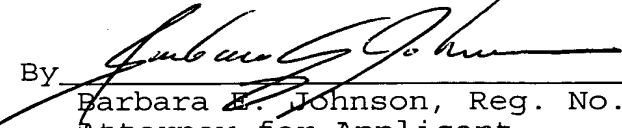
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Entry of this Preliminary Amendment is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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